Subject: Re: Extera Meeting CANCELLED
From: Jim Kennedy <jkennedy@exteraschools.org>
Date: 3/21/19, 12:42 PM
To: Corri Ravare <cravare@exteraschools.org>

Sure, we can do that.

She will still claim whatever, but we might as well.

Jim

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> On Mar 21, 2019, at 12:38 PM, Corri Ravare <cravare@exteraschools.org> wrote:
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> I was thinking I should include a copy of this email on the inside of our front door so Ms. Escobar cannot claim to the crowd that we did not notify her in advance?
> What do you think?
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> Corri Tate Ravare
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> On Thu, Mar 21, 2019 at 12:28 PM Jim Kennedy <jkennedy@exteraschools.org> wrote:
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> > Ms. Escobar,
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> > I'm writing to inform you that the meeting with me that was scheduled to take place tomorrow (Friday) at 1:00pm at the Extera Home Office has been postponed until further notice.

During the board meeting that you disrupted on Tuesday, I attempted to communicate with the parents in attendance by offering an opportunity to speak with me at a more appropriate time. I distributed my business card and asked them to contact me to set up a meeting where their voices could be heard and responded to, and I would have an opportunity to address their questions. One person who identified herself as a grandparent took my card and asked me for an appointment. I agreed to meet tomorrow with her tomorrow, Friday, at 1:00 at my office.

Following the day's events and the events that followed, it is apparent that it is highly, highly unlikely that a meeting at this time would be a productive, positive, open dialogue as I had intended. As a result, I am postponing the meeting until a suitable place and structure for the meeting can be arranged. Please inform the parents who were in attendance that the meeting has been cancelled. I don't have contact information for those parents, and I don't have means of communicating with them. The only other contact information I have is for Carlos Montes and Fernando Ledezma, both of whom I have copied on this email as well.

Moving forward, please communicate directly with LAUSD, the Charter Schools Division, and/or the Prop 39 office regarding co-location issues, classroom and facility utilization, and other concerns pertaining to the co-location of a charter public school on a traditional public school campus. Those offices will be able to address your questions regarding Prop 39 co-location arrangements and policies. In addition, I am working with the District to arrange a time and place for a productive meeting to be held with Eastman and Extera parents where we can work together to address their questions and concerns.

Regards,

Jim Kennedy, Ed.D.
Chief Executive Officer
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